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In re Application of: )  
F. CESARE )  
Serial No. 09/138,926 ) Examiner: S. Nolan  
Filed: August 24, 1998 ) Group Art Unit: 1772  
For: LOW MOLECULAR WEIGHT )  
POLYMERS AND THEIR USE )  
AS DISPERSION AIDS )

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RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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Request for Copy of Claims

In response to the Examiner's request, attached hereto is a clean copy of the pending claims.

35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph

Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection of claims 29-30 under 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph, are respectfully requested. The Examiner alleges that there is

